Executive Proclamation State of South Dakota Office of the Governor

Whereas, Staff Sergeant Major George R. Hall's dedication to service has made him a valuable asset to this state and country; and,

Whereas, We have very few occasions to recognize the patriotic individuals for their service to this state and country; and,

Whereas, Staff Sergeant Major Hall has devoted more than 33 years of his life to the service of this state and country as a leader of soldiers, dedicating himself to the assistance of Soldiers as the Aviation Section Staff Sergeant Major, and his kind and considerate counsel that his colleagues have come to rely upon, that make this Soldier a great NCO; and,

Whereas, His loyalty and leadership have made him a cornerstone in the Armed Forces of this country; and,

Whereas, Staff Sergeant Major Hall continues to give of himself; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to commend Staff Sergeant Major George R. Hall for more than 33 years of dedicated and outstanding service to this state and country:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim January 9, 2010, as

STAFF SERGEANT MAJOR GEORGE R. HALL DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with his family and friends in wishing him well in his retirement and thanking him for his service to the state of South Dakota and to the United States of America.

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In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-first Day of December in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Nine.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

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Chris Nelson, Secretary of State